FRIDAY, January 29th, 1830.

The House met at ten o'clock, pursuant to adjournment; and the roll being called over, the same members were present as on yesterday.

On motion, the reading of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with, by a suspension of the rule relating

thereto.

The Speaker laid before the House a report from the Sheriff of Worcester county, furnishing a statement of the public money paid by him into the Treasury in the course of the last year, ending on the 30th day of November;

And a communication from Samuel Tyler, one of the Inspectors of Tobacco in the city of Baltimore, in answer to the order of this house of the —— instant, "requiring the Inspectors of Tobacco in the warehouses on Dugan's and O'Donnell's wharves, to report how far they had complied with the resolution passed at the last session, relative to building offices on the vacant ground near said warehouses," stating "that for want of a knowledge of the resolution, the said Inspectors had not complied with it."

Ordered, That the said report and communication be severally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Orrell presented a petition of William Potter, of Caroline county, praying for the reduction of the charges for the inspection of Quercitron Bark, and a correction of the practice of weighing it, whereby more than the net weight of each hogshead shall not be allowed; which petition, with its accompanying documents, were referred to the Committee on Inspections.

Mr. Nicholas presented a petition of William Kempton, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from his wife Matilda; and also a petition of Samuel A. Kempton, of the said city, (father of the said William, who is stated to be a minor,) praying for a divorce in behalf of his minor son; which petitions, with the accompanying documents, were severally referred to the Committee on Divorces.

Mr. Nicholas also presented a memorial of Enrico Caucici, of the city of Baltimore, praying for additional compensation on account of expenses incurred, and labor performed, in executing and completing the colossal statue of Washington, erected on the summit of the Monument at the said city; which memorial was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Nicholas also presented a petition of Richard Mackall, of the city of Baltimore, formerly an Inspector of Tohacco in said city, praying compensation for expenses in-